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GEN. POLK GRECHKO MEETS DIMITROV FUNERAL TRAIN -- Pravda Ukrainy, No 156, 5 Jul 49

General-polkovnik A. A. Grechko attended ceremonies in Kiev at the funeral train of G. Dimitrov.

GRECHKO WRITES ARTICLE -- Pravda Ukrainy, No 145, 22 Jun 49

Guards' General-polkovnik A. Grechko writes on the "Historic Achievement of the Soviet People."

GEN-LEVT KAMANIN HEADS DOSAV ORGBURO -- Komsomol'skaya Pravda, No 146, 23 Jun 49

General-Leytenant N. P. Kamanin is chairman of the USSR DOSAV Organization Bureau.

MOSCOW CITY LOSARM MEETS -- Moskovskiy Bol'shevik, No 152, 30 Jun 49

More than 500 delegates attended the first Moscow City DDCAP conference on 29 June.

In the Presidium were Marshal of the Soviet Union S. M. Budenny; General-polkovnik Arst'm'yev, Commander of the Moscow Military District; General-polkovnik Kuznetsov, Hero of the Soviet Union, chairman of the DCSARM USSR Organization Bureau; heroes of the Soviet Union and officers of the Soviet Army; Frasavchenko, secretary of the Moscow City and Oblast Committees of the Komsomol; Chugunov, section head in the Moscow City Committee of the VKP(b); and members of lower DCSARM groups.

General-leytenant Pronin, chairman of the Moscow City DOSARM Orgburo, spoke on the regular duties of DOSARM.

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More than 75,000 riflemen took part in rayon shooting matches in Moscow City.

Members of the Moscow City DOSARM Committee, Auditing Commission, and All-Union DOSARM Committee were elected.

MOSCOW CITY DOSFLOT MEETS -- Moskovskiy Bol'shevik, No 152, 30 Jun 49

Three hundred delegates attended the first Moscow City DOSFLOT conference on 29 June.

F. Ashanin, chairman of the Moscow City DOSFLOT Organization Bureau, spoke on the duties of the Moscow DOSFLOT.

More than 380 DOSFLOT circles have been formed in Moscow enterprises to study naval affairs. Among the city's primary organizations there are now 50 model shipbuilding circles.

The conference elected 11 men to the Moscow City DOSFLOT Committee, and F. Ashanin was elected chairman.

DOSARM, DOSFLOT GROUPS SCORED -- Krasnoye Znamya, No 140, 16 Jun 49

A conference of the Primorskiy Kray DOSARM recently took place in Voroshilov. Reports were read on the year's activity of DOSARM, the work of primary organizations, and the assistance rendered by Party, Komsomol and trade union organizations. Delegates severely criticized the work of the DOSARM organization bureau for Primorskiy Kray and pointed out that local Komsomol and trade union organizations had done little to help primary DOSARM organizations. The conference adopted a decision to improve the defense and physical culture work of the Society.

The DOSARM Kray Committee, consisting of 13 members, was elected.

A city conference of DOSFLOT took place in Vladivostok. In the course of discussions it was stated that in spite of considerable work done by the organization committee in forming DOSFLOT groups, a number of institutions and enterprises of the city had not yet formed primary DOSFLOT organizations up to the present time. The conference adopted a decision to improve and develop defense and sport activities among the population. New members of the DOSFLOT city committee were elected.

SET ALL-UNION PARACHUTE RECORD -- Komsomol'skaya Pravda, No 153, 1 Jul 49

A group of paratroopers set an All-Union record by making a night jump from a height of 10,370 meters.

2,000 DOSAV MEMBERS IN TALASS OBLAST -- Sovetskaya Kirgiziya, No 124, 26 Jun 49

There are 80 DOSAV primary organizations, having a membership of about 2,000, in the schools, enterprises, institutions, kolkhozes, and MTSs of Talass Oblast, Kirgiz SSR. Study groups and courses on aviation affairs are organized in every rayon.

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DOSAV AIRCLUB SCHOOL ACCEPTS APPLICATIONS -- Sovetskaya Estoniya, No 156, 5 Jul 49

The Tallin Airclub of DOSAV Estonian SSR announces the recruiting of students for the 1949 - 1950 school year in the pilots', glider pilots', parachutists', and aviation technologists' divisions.

Young men from 17 to 21 years of age (girls 18 to 20) who have completed the ninth, tenth, or 11th grades (girls who have completed secondary and higher schools) are accepted for pilot training. Youths who have completed at least the seventh grade are accepted for training as glider pilots and aviation technologists, and those who have completed at least the fourth grade are accepted for parachutist training.

Instruction will be carried out without interruption of regular duties of students. The courses run for one year.

Candidates must submit an application addressed to the head of the Airclub requesting enrollment in the Airclub's course of studies; a personally written biography; an education certificate; birth certificate; service or employment character reference from school or place of work; Party or Komsomol character reference; and two 9 x 12 photographs.

Courses begin on 1 November 1949.

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